

Offenders on EMS

On November 30, 2009, 648 offenders were on some form of electronic monitoring (EMS), per the Iowa Corrections Offender Network (ICON). This represents a slight increase in the number on EMS about one year ago.

The Iowa Division of Criminal and Juvenile Justice Planning (CJJP) projects a large increase in offenders admitted to community supervision who will be required to be on EMS, due to the impact of offenders required to serve special sentences. In the short-term, CJJP estimates an increase of 300 offenders during FY 2010; the DOC projects 84% or about 250 will require electronic monitoring. For FY2011, CJJP estimates another 300 additional offenders under community supervision, and DOC projects 84% or about 250 will require electronic monitoring.

Statewide Electronic Monitoring, Yearend 2008 & 2009

	As of 12/31/2008		As of 11/30/2009	
EMS Type	Total Offenders	%	Total Offenders	%
Global Positioning Satellite - Cellular	483	79.2%	551	85.0%
Radio Frequency	71	11.6%	70	10.8%
SCRAM (Secure Continuous Remote Alcohol Monitor)	5	0.8%	3	0.5%
Video Display/Breath Alcohol Test/Radio Frequency	46	7.5%	23	3.5%
Voice Verification	5	0.8%	1	0.2%
Total:	610	100.0%	648	100.0%

Note: This report was prepared prior to the availability of December 2009 ICON data in the Justice Data Warehouse, so that the report would be submitted prior to the established deadline.

Use of EMS by Judicial District

The chart on the next page shows the numbers of offenders on EMS by judicial district and EMS type.

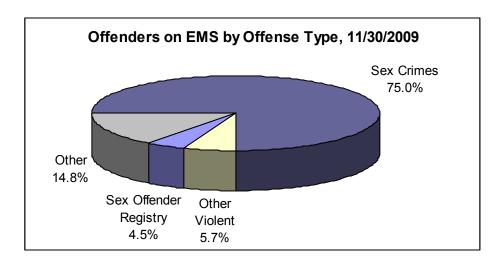
Previous state law mandated a minimum of five years of electronic monitoring for sex offenders whose crimes were against children. This law was changed in 2009 to permit discretion to the district departments of correctional services to base decisions on validated sex offender risk assessments and other factors. In response, the Iowa Department of Corrections developed new administrative rules to guide decisions on which sex offenders should be placed on electronic monitoring.

Offenders on Electronic Monitoring by Judicial District: 11/30/2009

	Global Positioning Satellite - Cellular	Radio Frequency	SCRAM (Secure Continuous Remote Alcohol Monitor)	Video Display/Breath Alcohol Test/Radio Frequency	Voice Verification	Totals by District
1JD	112	1			1	114
2JD	51	4	2	2		59
3JD	52	28				80
4JD	39					39
5JD	87	24	1	16		128
6JD	77	13		3		93
7JD	58			2		60
8JD	75					75
Totals	551	70	3	23	1	648

Offenders on EMS by Most Serious Offense

This section describes the most serious offense for offenders on EMS on November 30, 2009. As shown below, 75% of offenders on EMS were under supervision for a sex offense as their most serious offense. The rest were under supervision for other offenses, including other violent crimes and sex offender registry violations. The chart beginning on the next page lists the specific offenses. Please note some offenders have prior sex offenses that are no longer active, but are under supervision for other types of offenses.



Offenders on EMS by Offense Classification and Offense, 11/30/2009 Violent

		Total
Assault	Assault	1
Assault	ASSAULT INTENT OF INJURY	2
Assault	ASSAULT WITH A WEAPON	1
Assault	Assault with bodily injury or mental illness	1
Assault	Child Endangerment-Bodily Injury	2
Assault	DISARMING A PEACE OFFICER - DISCHARGE WEAPON	1
Assault	INTIMIDATION WITH A DANGEROUS WEAPON	1
Assault	STALKINGAGGRAVATED MISDEMEANOR - 1ST OFFENSE	1
Assault	WILLFUL INJURY - CAUSING BODILY INJURY	3
Kidnap	ATTEMPT TO ENTICE AWAY MINOR	14
Kidnap	ENTICING AWAY A CHILD	1
Kidnap	ENTICING AWAY A MINOR	3
Murder/Manslaughter	MURDER 2ND DEGREE	1
Murder/Manslaughter	NCIC - HOMICIDE	1
Murder/Manslaughter	Serious Injury by Vehicle	1
Other Violent	ATTEMPT BURGLARY 1ST DEGREE	1
Other Violent	BURGLARY 1ST DEGREE	1
Robbery	ROBBERY 1ST DEGREE	1
Sex	ASSLT. TO SEX ABUSE/INJURY	1
Sex	ASSLT. TO SEX ABUSE/NO INJ.	10
Sex	INCEST	5
Sex	INDECENT CONTACT WITH A CHILD	4
Sex	INDECENT EXPOSURE	5
Sex	Invasion of Privacy - Nudity	1
Sex	LASC ACTS W/CHILD-SUPERVISION	11
Sex	LASCIVIOUS ACTS WITH A CHILD	29
Sex	Lascivious Conduct W/Minor	1
Sex	LIFETIME COMMITMENT TO DOC	2
Sex	NCIC - OTHER SEX OFFENSE	20
Sex	NCIC - SEXUAL ASSAULT	30
Sex	SEX ABUSE BY THERAPIST - PATTERN	1
Sex	Sex Exploit of Minor/Pur/Poss of Medium Depict - 1st Offense	5
Sex	SEXUAL ABUSE 2ND DEGREE	12
Sex	SEXUAL ABUSE 3RD DEGREE	36
Sex	SEXUAL ABUSE 3RD - NOT FORCIBLE FELONY	16
Sex	SEXUAL EXPLOITATION BY A COUNSELOR/THERAPIST/SCHOOL EMPLOYEE	2
Sex	SEXUAL EXPLOIT. OF MINOR	6
Sex	SEXUAL PREDATOR - COMMUNITY SUPERVISION	2
Sex	Special Supervision Sentence-B or C Felony/Lifetime Parole	87
Sex	Special Supervision Sentence-D Felony or Misdemeanors/10 years parole	200
	Total Violent Offenses	523

Property

		Total
Arson	ARSON 2ND DEGREE	1
Burglary	BURGLARY 2ND DEGREE	5
Burglary	BURGLARY 3RD DEGREE	5
Burglary	NCIC - BURGLARY	1
Forgery/Fraud	FORGERY	4
Forgery/Fraud	NCIC - EMBEZZLEMENT	1
Forgery/Fraud	NCIC - FORGERY (COUNTERFEITING)	1
Forgery/Fraud	NCIC - FRAUD	1
Theft	IDENTITY THEFT	1
Theft	THEFT 2ND DEGREE	1
Vandalism	CRIMINAL MISCHIEF 3RD DEGREE	1
	Total Property Offenses	22

Drug

			Total
Drug Possession	Proh Acts-Poss Product Intended For Mfg Any Cont Subs	st	1
Drug Possession	Proh Acts-Poss w/o Prescription - 1st Offense		2
Drug Possession	Proh Acts-Poss w/o Prescription - 3rd and subsequent		2
Other Drug	FURN. CONTR. SUBST. TO INMATES		1
Other Drug	NCIC - DRUG LAW VIOLATION		9
Trafficking	POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE		2
Trafficking	PROH. ACTS/CONTR.,SIM SUB		1
Trafficking	Proh Acts-Mfg, Del, Consp or Poss-Marij LT 50 kg		3
Trafficking	Proh Acts-Mfg, Del, Consp, or Poss w/Int-Meth LT 5 gm		3
		Total Drug Offenses	24

Public Order

		Total
Alcohol	CONSUMPTION/INTOXICATION 2ND OFFENSE	1
Alcohol	CONSUMPTION/INTOXICATION 3RD OR SUB.	2
Flight/Escape	FAILURE TO APPEAR FELONY CHG.	1
Other Public Order	CONTEMPT - VIOLATION OF NO CONTACT PROTECTIVE ORDER	1
Other Public Order	DISEM/EXHIB OBSC. MAT. TO MINOR	1
Other Public Order	SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY	29
Other Public Order	TELEPHONE DESSEMINATION OF OBSCENE MATERIAL TO MINORS	3
OWI	NCIC - OWI	2
OWI	OPER VEH WH INT (OWI) / AGR MISD / 2ND OFF -	11
OWI	OPER VEH WH INT (OWI)/CLASS D FEL/3RD AND SUBSEQUENT OFF	13
OWI	OPER VEH WH INT (OWI) / SER MISD / 1ST OFF -	3
Weapons	NCIC - WEAPONS OFFENSE	2
	Total Public Order Offenses	69

Other

			Total
Animals	BESTIALITY		1
Other Criminal	COMPACT PRISONER		1
Other Criminal	CONSPIRACY/COMMIT FELONY (PERSON)		1
Other Criminal	HABITUAL OFFENDER (PROPERTY)		5
Other Violent	Conspiracy/Commit Forcible Felony		2
		Total Other Offenses	10